

using technology to communicate health education

8:45 REGISTRATION

9:15 WELCOME AND REMARKS

Lavell Thornton, MPH, CHES, SCDHEC State Director of Public Health Education Lisa Waddell, MD, MPH, SCDHEC Deputy Commissioner for Health Services

9:30 Closing the Technological Generation Gap

James Wagoner, BA, President, Advocates for Youth, Washington, DC Will Neville, BA, Director, E-Campaign Strategies, Advocates for Youth

Technology and, more importantly, the internet have changed the world. Young people today are fluent in new media communications while many adults are struggling just to keep pace with the ever-evolving technology. This session draws on Advocates for Youth's experience using various forms of media to reach professionals, parents, and young people with health education messages.

www.advocatesforyouth.org

10:30 Go Interactive for Health

Ann Aikin, MA, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) National Center for Health Marketing: eHealth Marketing, Atlanta, GA

Health Marketing involves creating, communicating, and delivering health information and interventions using customer-centered and science-based strategies. Experiences with applying interactive, electronic health information and interventions will be shared. http://www.cdc.gov/healthmarketing/ehm/

11:30 BREAK (Networking)

11:45 Translating "Unnatural Causes" into Community Action

David Simmons, PhD, Assistant Professor of Health Promotion, Education and Behavior and Anthropology, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC

Unnatural Causes is a four-hour documentary series and Public Impact Campaign. This session will offer concrete strategies for using the documentary "Unnatural Causes" for community health engagement and empowerment. The documentary was produced to draw attention to the root causes of health and illness and to help reframe the debate about health in America.

http://www.unnaturalcauses.org/assets/uploads/file/UC Toolkit All.pdf

12:15 LUNCHEON AND AWARDS

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2:00 Navigating the Web - Using New Technology to Communicate Health

Cayci Banks, BA, Director of Communications SC Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy, Columbia, SC

Facebook, MySpace, Blogging, Oh my! This presentation will include an overview of how the SC Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy uses new technology to get its message across. From their traditional website to memberships on social networking sites, you will learn how to use the World Wide Web to your advantage.

www.teenpregnancysc.org

3:00 The Ultimate Leader: How to Become the Leader People Love to Follow

Kwain Bryant, CEO and Senior Consultant Empowerment Exchange, Charlotte, NC

Leadership is the ability to influence individuals or groups toward the achievement of goals. It is always important to enhance your potential or skills. This session will help participants gain knowledge and skills necessary to create effective teamwork (dreamwork) and a culture in which people consistently perform at their best.

www.wechange.com

4:00 EVALUATIONS/CLOSING

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